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"Speck"-A "Street Colleg Dissession" and a Hery to Deeps Pullburgill, 20072 best in Wick-Two Gestlemen Frem Kenterly.

Ton maybe mought not think it to bear no talk and from my general aphave come down from the highristoc-

frosty mornin, when the weather is cold anough to freets the tail off of a brass moskey, and chop the wood and letch in the makey, and tete out the slope and treed the stock, and drive up the cown and the white fing of the White and the slock, and drive up the cown and the white fing of the White and the colors and never compand to provide the colors of the culves, and never compand to provide the culves. The consideration of the culves and never compand to the culves are the culves and never compand to the culves are the cul dala or get out of sorts—that boy is a fork of Sultriese.

which can pull the ball sord over a and reform and I have now it, bled and blamed old hay mule, on a leng hot died under the flag of the Third party, automore day in a new ground full of stumps, and still one nothin but Bible don't work worth a continental in

from somewheres back in the hill coun- created world. try. Ho give in his name Johnny Led-"Speak" for short and owin to the sundry different shades and colors of his

Well, Speek he had plenty of sense, mt It didn't run very much to books. Miss Susy didn't give out any lessons to him on the first day. She slipped the bridle, as it were, and let him have the run of the grounds till be could wear the a ticket." now off. But the next mornin she made him trot out his blue back speller and

"What do you do with your eyes?" made the air says Miss Susy when Speck struck the "bolters." next snag.

proud smile.

scholar by and by," says Miss Sasy.

and wants his horse to go to the right, as plain as a painted horse rack in his what does he say?" ask Miss Susy. "He don't plow no horse," says Spack, 'he plows a steer.

Well, when he wants the steer to go to the right what does he may?" says this car?" Mian Suny. And then Speek he stepped back and

spraddled his legs and drawed his face "Well, up till it looked like a pine knot on hig man."

fire, and sung out at the top of his voice: sent." "Gees the rel you dadburned old wabbledy-legged, slab-sided, rasor-back son-of-a-gun."

Man sir, the school then broke loose with the most terriblest confusement you ever road about, and I thought in my soul Miss Suny would faint and fall over in it. But Speck had answered the question and went through with all the motions besides, and you couldn't blame him for that. It took nerve to do it, but Speck was a hero, and in the run of

him for that. It took nerve to do it, but Speck was a hero, and in the run of time he turned cot to be the brightest scholar in that school.

A Hard sum to work.

Once tupen a time a stranger driv up to the Buckalew place to spend the night. In them days they use to keep a stage stand and run a public eatin house at the Buckalew place. When the stranger driv up that day the old man sent Nick Buckalew, which he was the onlyest boy on the place, out to the gate to take the borse and tend to him. And when Nick showed up the stranger, And when Mick showed up the stranger, which it seems like he jud nibbled at his bottle till he was about six him in

"Young man, extricate that quad-ruped from the robiele, atabulate him, donate to him an adequate supply of nutritious aliments, and when the acrora of mornia aball onest more en-

thre a preunlary compensation for thine amiable hospitality." amisble Rospitality.

Well, Nink he run back into the house and told the old man that there was a Duttoman out there that wanted to see him. The old man and Fick and amongst lem got the stranger to put it down in writin, and after he jest every ody in the settlement put in and tried to figure out what he was drivin at when he stade that speech to Nick Buskaley. The old man is deed and gone now, but Nick is said livin and wonderin what that stranger meant, and whether he was drue to be trang.

But I took tay west with pen in hand, to write a few lines contents everyday. on And Loomes to mind now that was somethin of a boro. I had landed attend to,

was direction for the degleral the State France to many Storry II., she took had would wind to the Degleration with her a noted performer, who intro-After suppose that night the top to being termed out and the beyon time felices. eneded to paint the town red and put on Street waters but about and funes teleprofus

I had weathing tone trues the chose but, and the man come up to me whoopin with every breath for the minute theken | for the in this schools. It was not until He was then about three sheets in the her husband resigned his office and reselled and the other one a flatterin, but jurned to Espland that Mrs. Strel behe had somethin to talk with and he gan to write delies.

I have seen some big as a makepost, arranger, to be investigation be resurred to the writers. In his possession, the regression before a man from off the wrong Fruit, and then harm time of publishing dead people's letters, round and comes back to the old flexgrees than any day and grossistion. Now lock, flat-feeted and erost, you can bet be primited of which he had not nuther-lock flat from the process of the publication.

"Look at me, arranger, and you man a siled arranger to the publication.

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probibition sickets. Of course I didn't uniformly popular since the first of know what a tremendius big gob of toil them, "Trafalgar," was published in last trouble and worriment I had bit off, 1873. In my growin up and brulein round I have seen many and many a cotton-but deed, gander-legged, hatchot-faceted out on the glains and down in the torks.

- A young Swede going by the name of Charles Haydensen, who has been employed as a farm hand in the neighborhood of Henderson, Ky., for aix headed, gander-legged, hatchet-facted out on the glains and down in the torks position buy that was every inch a head of the creek and ralified the buys to the yours, was discovered recently to be a woman. It was naturally a surprise to the interests of people which will git up with the sun on a raw big dinners and made investy-seven with her we begon and had recreed with her we begon and had recreed. frosty mornin, when the weather is cold stump speeches for the dry titled. But

And I likewise also think that a boy preachin the decirine of retreachment Onest span a time I saw a boy here Ribbon Army, stranger, and when I turn into the first field, or get over a in school, and I remember the general tell you that, the song is sung and the circumference of the surrounding as story is told: They can hold the biggest distant, rather than be started at. bright and clear as if it was posterday, meetins, and git up the finest dinners, It was whilst Miss Susy Tollivar was and turn out the longest processions, teachin of the school over at the Cross and reel off the most music, and then Roads. One would be the control of the most music, and then Roada. One mornin a youngster, with return the duradest most fewest votes and a freekly face, come in of all the political parties in the round. The ex-queen has an income of not

"So finally at last, stranger, I made better and said he was nine pears old past, ten nort gram. There was more round and come back. When you look Europe."

—Alexa pure, honest devilment in that hors' face than I have ever saw done up into one little package. We boys called him brass collar Democrat?"

> and the man went on to tell me. "Well, I don't know how it is back there in the States, stranger, but out when the best thing a man can do is to here in the great and growin State of hold his tongue."

Texas a brass collar Democrat is a man that never refused a drink nor scratched The Rogg Man Weary.

come down to his knittin regiar. He had to start in with his A. B. C.'s, and when he went forth to may his first lesson every eye in school was turned on Worth. It was only a few days after stand out in comparative sanity and Speak. But he stood the fire like a man, the State convention met in Houston, and never flickored nor floundered, nor and the war between the Hogg men and and never flickored nor floundered, nor flinghand. He can through smooth and easy on the first letter, but struck a sarg on the second.

"What makes the honey that you cat?" says Miss Susy.

"B." says Speck, onick as lightning.

The train stepped at a little station dictionary has not yet gone beyond the and a strappin big man got on beard.

The car was crowded to standin room "Correct, my little man. You'll be a only, the weather hit was meltin hot well, they went on at that lick till guards with "spirits-of-cats-a-fightin," finally at last they got down to G, and Speck he backed into another snag.

But you could look at him and tell "When your father starts to plow, that he was a Hogg man. It stuck out

general appearments. "Fellow citizens," said the big man presently, whilst sweatin great drops of perspiration, "Is there a Clark man in

"Yes, air," said a passenger at the other end of the car; "I am a Clark man," "Well, dadburn you, bolt!" said the

But the other man didn't bolt, and it took fifteen passengers and the conduc-tor to provent the spillin of human blood.

Toro Men From Kentucky, One thing brings up another, as the old lady said when she took a dest of

onest upon a time I was ridin on a railroad train through Tennessee. There was a mule drover on board and he had a bottle of corn whisky—"white

Reside's Great Grain Tietd.

The minister of agriculture of Russia has issued a statement of the yield of grain in 60 provinces in European Russia, including Russian Poland. The figures are given in sichetverts, equivalent to 50.77 English husbels: Hyu. 123,530,000; winter wheat, 10,983,000; summer wheat, 325,900,000; oats, 100, 448,000; barley, 20,672,000; buckwheat, 1,234,000; millet, 6,254,000; corp. 3,619,-

000; peus, 2,512,000. Demark's despect exploring expedition to the coasts of Iosland and Greenland has returned. Bad weather interfered with the scientific work, but the Ingolf took soundings from Iosland to Cars Jurevall, the greatest depth found below 1,570 fathoms, and secural much scalegical material. The Jerus of the language of the will be sent out again next summer.

Roses is Western New York. Mrs. Mary Winstow is traveling brough western New York as proprietor and operator of a peripatetto photograph car. The wears a man's hat, carries a revolver, is a first-class met a grown man in Texas onest that artist, and has more orders than she can

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coptains and "Look at me, stranger, and you see a le called great even by his content of such the military and the military a

with her so long and had never sus

fork of Saltrices.

"Onest more this year I went forth preachis the factifine of retreachment and reform and I have now it, bled and died under the fact of the Third next."

-Mr. Ruskin sees very few visitors 1 ow. At 11 a. m. and three p. m. he regularly takes a walk with his at-tendant. But even then he is so averse tanguage by gailins I know that boy is to the Third party and the White to the eye of the stranger that he will

-Concerning ex-Queen Liftuokalani's reported purchase of a summer eastle and winter villa in Italy, Hawaiian Minmore than \$5,000 annually, which would hardly warrant the extravagance of two different residences in southern

gree as to what he writes. Moreover It so happened that I didn't know, he says, and it is a pathetic statement to come from a man of so powerful a pen: "I have arrived now at an age

-Iarael Zangwill has a very poor opinion of the women writers of our time. He says: "Audd shouls of the formless, the didactic, the hysterical or the ungrammatical, entirely indebted Talkin about Texas and Texas peli- for their superior circulation to the avid

unity." "B." says speck, quick as lightnin.
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and somethin like a thousand miles in the dictionary, why should it survive the publication of the book? No-body in this generation, at any rate, meed worry about the matter, as the

HUMOROUS.

-"Why do you suppose they always represent Cupid as a boy?" he asked. Because he never arrives at years of discretion," she replied.-Household

-Logical.-Cissie-"Isn't fit a nuisance? Mother says we needn't go into more than half-mourning for Uncle Popplewink!" Flossie—"Wy? lahn't be more'n half-dead?"—Ally Sloper.

-"I reckon," said Mrs. Corntossel, "that these politicians say a good many things they're sorry far," "Yes," re-plied her husband, "an' a good many more thet they orter be."—Washington

-Mabel-Yes, he's a nice young man, but hazn't his nose met with an ac eident of some sort? I can't get over it." Amy—"No wonder! It has no bridge."—Pittlsburgh Chronicle-Tele-

kles, after he had absorbed a potash lozenge which had been given him for his sore throat, "wasn't Essu an idlot to sell his birthright for a mess of this stuff"-Brooklyn Life.

-Food for Thought.-He pressed a raid kiss upon her lips. "How can you?" she exclaimed. "Ah, love is blind," he answered. And, when, four hours later, he took his departure, she was still thinking.-Detroit Tribune.

- You can see for yourself that then goods are marked down," said the sales nan, painting to the aftered price mark "They appear to be all marked up," re-plied the customer, as he looked at the many hieroglyphics.-Yonkers States-

man —An Irisisman recently visited a dentist. After the had discoursed volubly on the subject of his sufferings the dentist mildly interposed: "Do you wish to be treated?" "No, begoren," replied Mr. O'Flyan; "you athop the pain, an' o'll trate ye to anything yo want."—Fun.

-The black-bearded pirate, with a knife between his teeth, boarded the passenger ship. "Throw up your hands!" be shouted. The passenger hanging over the mil smiled feebly. "I think I did, not less than an hour ago," he said gaspingly,—Cincinnati En-

-'Are all these young men anxious - "Are all those young men anxious to become surgeons?" asked the visitor. "They are," replied the lecturer on surgery. "But how can so many expect to make a living?" "Fasily, sir! casily," answered the lecturer. "Think of the effect of the present bicycle craze."— Chicago Evening Post.

— Plausible.—She—"Do you know that if restage was not lack to three

that if postage was put back to three cents we would make maney?" He-"We? Who?" "Everybody, stupic Because then the merchants would mark their goods down to \$1.97 from two dollars, instead of \$1.95, as they do now."-Indianapolis Journal.

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